

CHAPTER NO. 610

HOUSE BILL NO. 2219

By Representative Dunn

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2366

By Senators Williams, Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5, relative to judicial review of contested cases under the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-322, is amended by deleting the third sentence of subsection (b)(1) and substituting instead the following:

A person who is aggrieved by a final decision of the department of human services or the department of children's services in a contested case may file a petition for review in the chancery court located either in the county of the official residence of the appropriate commissioner or in the county in which any one (1) or more of the petitioners reside. A person, who is aggrieved by the final determination of a hearing officer or local board of education in a special education hearing conducted pursuant to § 49-10-601, may file a petition for review in the chancery court of Davidson County or, alternatively, in the county in which the petitioner resides.


SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002, the public welfare requiring it and shall apply to any petition for judicial review filed on or after such date.

PASSED: April 10, 2002


JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 17th day of April 2002


DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR